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MARIANO V. FAVAZZA
CLERK, CIRCUIT COURT
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS
STATE OF MISSOURI
FAMILY COURT – JUVENILE DIVISION

In The Interest of:

Male, DOB:) TPR No.
)
) Cause No.

JUDGMENT AND DECREE TERMINATING PARENTAL RIGHTS

The Missouri Department of Social Services (hereinafter Children's Division) filed a Petition to Terminate Parental Rights on _____, 2009. Respondent-mother was personally served and appeared by her attorney L. _____ D. _____ case manager, appeared on behalf of Children's Division with attorney M. _____ K. _____ Deputy Juvenile Officer, appeared in person. The minor child appeared by his court-appointed Guardian ad Litem J. _____

WHEREUPON, the Court, upon the Petition, stipulation and evidence adduced finds by the clear, cogent and convincing evidence as follows:

1. This Court has jurisdiction as required under Sections 211.031, 211.041, 211.181, and 211.442 et Seq. RSMo.
2. The petition was filed by the Department of Social Services, Children's Division, on April 2, 2009.
3. On October 4, _____ the minor child, was found to come within the applicable provisions of Section 211.031 RSMo., and the legal custody of the child was transferred to Missouri Children's Division by orders of this Court in the above-styled cause.
4. The Court has jurisdiction of the subject matter by virtue of its prior and continuing jurisdiction over the child from the aforementioned orders entered by the Court in the child's interest on _____ 2007, in the above-styled cause.
5. The Missouri Children's Division is the legal custodian of the child. Legal custody has been with the Missouri Children's Division since _____, 2007. Physical custody of the child has been with the Children's Division on a continuous basis from _____ 2007, to the present.
6. J. _____ Attorney at Law, as Guardian ad Litem for and on behalf of the child, waives appearance of the child at the hearing.
7. _____ is a male child and was born out of wedlock on _____ 2006.
8. _____, date of birth September 19, _____ is the birth mother of the child.

9. _____, the birth mother, has named _____, as the birth father of the child. _____, is the legal father of the child, who has acknowledged the child as his own by affirmatively asserting his paternity in, to and over the child.
10. The said _____ has consented to the termination of her parental rights.
11. The said _____, is deceased.
14. The Missouri Children's Division is willing to maintain the care, custody and supervision of the child and further avers the child to be healthy and suitable for placement with an adoptive home.
15. The termination of any and all parental rights of the said _____ in, to and over the child is in the best interest of the child.

WHEREFORE, it is ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that any and all parental rights of the said _____ in to and over the said _____ is be terminated and severed, and that the legal custody of the child be remanded to the Missouri Children's Division for the purpose of adoption and/or such other placement as may be in the child's best interests.

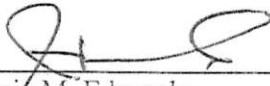
Further, this Court finds that J _____, attorney at law, has been appointed as Guardian ad Litem for the child.

**WHEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND
DECREEED**

That any and all parental rights of _____ in, to and over _____ the minor child born on _____, are hereby terminated and severed, and that the legal custody of the child be remanded to the Missouri Children's Division for the purpose of adoption and/or such other placement as may be in the child's best interests.

The Court continues jurisdiction over the child pursuant to 211.462.4 RSMo. Costs of the said proceeding taxed against the Missouri Children's Division pursuant to Section 211.462.4 RSMo, said amount to include allowances to any Court appointed attorneys as approved by the Commissioner/Judge of the Juvenile Division upon their submission, within thirty (30) days of the entry of this Decree, of a written motion for reimbursement of fees and expenses incurred.

SO ORDERED:


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Jimmie M. Edwards,
Circuit Judge, Juvenile Court

11/10/09
Date