

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA MOHAVE COUNTY

In the Matter of:

Case Number: _____

ORDER OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS

Names of Minor Child(ren)

A Petition for Termination of the Parent / Child Relationship having been filed herein and the matter having been heard, this Court finds by clear and convincing evidence:

1. That the child(ren) is / are present in the State of Arizona and that this Court has jurisdiction;
2. ICWA does not apply.

THE COURT FINDS by clear and convincing evidence that termination of parental rights is in the child(ren)'s best interest based on the following grounds:

- Abandonment: The parent has abandoned the child(ren) by failing to provide reasonable support and failing to maintain regular contact with the child(ren), including normal supervision.

- Neglect/Abuse: The parent has neglected or willfully abused a child.

- Incapacity: The parent is unable to discharge the parental responsibilities because of mental illness, mental deficiency or a history of chronic abuse of dangerous drugs, controlled substances or alcohol and there are reasonable grounds to believe that the condition will continue for a prolonged, indeterminate period.

- Criminal Conviction: The parent is deprived of civil liberties due to the conviction of a felony the nature of which proves the unfitness of that parent to have future custody and control of the child(ren).

The parent is deprived of civil liberties due to the conviction of a felony and the sentence of that parent is of such length that the child(ren) will be deprived of a normal home for a period of years.

Relinquishment or Consent: The parent has relinquished his or her right to the children to an agency or has consented to the adoption.

Attached to this Order is an original of the copy of relinquishment(s) or consent(s).

WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that it is in the best interest of the children that the parent / child relationship of Mother Father both parents _____ and

Child's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

is terminated.

OTHER ORDERS: _____

DONE IN OPEN COURT this _____ day of _____, _____.

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT