

**Court of Appeals, Division One**

**Juvenile**

**1 CA-JV 23-0157**

**IN RE TERM OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AS TO S.F.**

**Appellate Case Information**

Case Filed: **4-Aug-2023**

Case Closed: **6-May-2024**

**Decision**

**Dept/Composition**

**Department C**

Hon. Paul J McMurdie  
Hon. Maria Elena Cruz  
Hon. Cynthia J Bailey

**Side 1. DAVID F., Appellant**

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**Side 2. ASHLEY R., S.F., Appellee**

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**CASE STATUS**

May 6, 2024.....**Case Closed**

PREDECESSOR CASE (S)	Cause/Charge/Class	Judgment/Sentence	Judge, Role <Comments>	Trial	Dispo
MAR JS520346	Termination of Parental Rights		Keelan J Bodow, Authoring Judge of Order		

**CASE DECISION**

**18-Apr-2024 MEMORANDUM DECISION**

Cynthia Bailey.....Author

Paul McMurdie.....Concur

Maria Cruz.....Concur

Filed: **18-Apr-2024**

Mandate: **06-May-2024**

Decision Disposition

**Affirmed**

**26 PROCEEDING ENTRIES**

- 4-Aug-2023 FILED: Notice of Appeal from Maricopa County Superior Court filed 08/01/2023 and Notification of Notice of Appeal Filed
- 10-Aug-2023 FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice (606(b))
- 14-Aug-2023 ORDERED: Staying this appeal until 09/13/2023. FURTHER ORDERED: referring the issue of whether to appoint appellate counsel for Father to the Maricopa County Superior Court and authorizing that court to expeditiously determine that matter. If necessary, the court must ensure appellant's waiver of counsel is made knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily and that Father is aware of the dangers of self-representation. See Tammy M. v. Dep't of Child Safety, 242 Ariz. 457, 461, ¶ 16 (App. 2017). FURTHER ORDERED: the clerk of the superior court must transmit a certified copy of the ruling to this court by 09/13/2023. FURTHER ORDERED: vacating the transcript due date. No transcript will be due until further order. Amber E Pershon ProTem Judge - Author
- 23-Aug-2023 FILED: E-Record on Appeal: JS520346  
Instrument/Minute Entries: Combined  
Exhibits: Hearing Date: 05/15/2023 - LIST # E1 E2 E6 E8 E10 E27 E28 E29 E30 E31 E32 E33 E34 E35 E36 E39 E41 E42 E43 E44 E46 E47 E48 E49 E50 E55 E56 E57 E58 E59 E60 E61 E62 E63 E69 E70 E71 E73 E83 E95 E99 E101 E102 E105 E107 E108 E112 E113 E114 E115 E116 E117 E118 E121
- 14-Sep-2023 FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record (Includes Notice of Appointment of Counsel filed 09/01/2023) (JS520346)
- 18-Sep-2023 ORDERED: The transcript of the proceedings held on 05/15/2023 must be filed in this court by 10/18/2023. Amber E Pershon ProTem Judge - Author
- 16-Oct-2023 FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 05/15/2023 - Contested Severance Hearing (J. Marie Moran)

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8.	17-Oct-2023	FILED: Notice of Completion of Record
9.	19-Oct-2023	FILED: Respondent's "Conditional Acceptance" Including Steven Czop, and/or Its Successors.; Courtesy Copy, Maricopa County Superior Court, re: Defendants Amended "Memorandum in Request, Response and Opposition to Rule 14(B)(2) Certification and Stay the Issuance of a Writ of Restitution" of Plaintiffs (Expedited Request) (Certificate of Service) (Appellant)
10.	20-Oct-2023	ORDERED: Taking no action on the Memorandum or Conditional Acceptance. Amber E Pershon ProTem Judge - Author
11.	3-Nov-2023	FILED: Appellant David F.'s Motion to Supplement the Record; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
12.	6-Nov-2023	ORDERED: Appellant David F.'s Motion to Supplement the Record (Appellant) = GRANTED/ directing transcript coordinator Carma Umpleby (1) to prepare an original and two copies of the transcript of the 02/23/2023 proceedings, and (2) by 12/06/2023, to provide copies to all counsel of record and the original to the clerk of this court, marked for filing in this appeal. FURTHER ORDERED: Vacating the opening-brief due date. No brief will be due until further order. Hon David B Gass - Author
13.	28-Nov-2023	FILED: Reporter's Transcript - 02/23/2023 - Contested Severance Hearing - Continued (Jan Penfield)
14.	28-Nov-2023	ORDERED: The deadline for appellant to file an opening brief is 12/28/2023. Barbara Vidal Vaught ProTem Judge - Author
15.	21-Dec-2023	FILED: Appellant David F.'s Opening Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
16.	16-Jan-2024	ORDERED: The answering brief must be filed by 01/26/2023. If the brief is not filed timely, the court will submit this appeal for decision on the record and the filed briefs. Patrick Philippe Lacroix ProTem Judge - Author
17.	26-Jan-2024	FILED: Answering Brief; Appellee's Answering Brief's Certificate of Compliance; Appellee's Certificate of Service (Appellee Ashley R.)
18.	30-Jan-2024	FILED: Memorandum – to Clerk of Superior Court Re: any additional record not already transmitted due within 10 days
19.	1-Feb-2024	FILED: Appellant David F.'s Reply Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
20.	9-Feb-2024	FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record (JS520346)
21.	26-Feb-2024	CLNDR: CONFERENCE, Department C, 4-3-24, COURTROOM 1.
22.	18-Apr-2024	MEMORANDUM DECISION (Affirmed) Hon Cynthia J Bailey - Author; Hon Paul J McMurdie - Concur; Hon Maria Elena Cruz - Concur
23.	18-Apr-2024	FILED: Decision Distribution Notification
24.	18-Apr-2024	FILED: Notice of Juvenile Rule 609
25.	6-May-2024	FILED: Mandate, No physical record to be returned to clerk, Maricopa County Superior Court.
26.	6-May-2024	FILED: Notice of Intent to File Petition for Review (Appellant)