

# An Involuntary Termination

The mother is currently married to Sam who is listed on the birth certificate of Sue and Fred. Mother has begun living with John. At three years of age, Sue is taken to emergency room due to lacerations apparently caused by attempted penetration. Only the mother, John, Fred, and Sue were in the home when the injury occurred. They attributed the injury to a fall on a cardboard box. A skeletal survey indicated five fractures in various stages of healing. After a year of counseling without admitting guilt, mother and John have Sue returned to them. Within one month, and in the week of her fourth birthday, Sue is taken to the emergency room requiring sutures due to attempted penetration. Mother now states that John is the birth father of Sue and Fred. Fred has never been shown to be injured.

Can the parental rights to Sue be terminated and, if so, pursuant to what subsections?