

OPINION SUMMARY
MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS—EASTERN DISTRICT
SOUTHERN DIVISION

RONALD LYNN BRADDY,)	No. ED94194
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Petitioner/Respondent,)	Appeal from the Circuit Court
)	of St. Francois County
)	Cause No.: 24V058900573
vs.)	
)	Honorable Thomas L. Ray, Jr.
LAURALEE BRADDY)	
N/K/A LAURALEE SCHNAARE,)	
)	
Respondent/Appellant.)	FILED: November 30, 2010

Lauralee Braddy (Mother), ex-wife of Ronald L. Braddy (Father), appeals from the judgment terminating child support for the parties' three children. On appeal, Mother argues the trial court erred in finding that: (1) no jurisdiction existed to modify the dissolution judgment because she did not file a motion to extend child support prior to J.L.B. and J.L.B (Twins) turning 22; (2) the Twins were emancipated by operation of law; (3) she failed to prove the Twins' insolvency under the statute; and (4) Father does not owe a minimum of \$13,000 for the children's uninsured medical expenses.

REVERSED AND REMANDED.

Southern Division Holds: The trial court did have jurisdiction to modify the judgment under Section 452.340.11(4), RSMo 2000¹; the Twins were not emancipated by operation of law because Mother timely met the requirements of Section 452.340.4 establishing the grounds for incapacitation and insolvency, and; Father owed \$13,000 for uninsured medical expenses and was not entitled to a credit as an offset for child support owed.

Opinion by: Mary K. Hoff, Presiding Judge, Sherri B. Sullivan, Judge, and Nannette A. Baker, Judge, concur.

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