

OPINION SUMMARY

MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS EASTERN DISTRICT

GLENN W. STEPAN, SR.,)	No. ED99010
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Respondent,)	Appeal from the Circuit Court
)	of Franklin County
vs.)	
)	Honorable Stanley Dale Williams
LA TRECE THOMPSON,)	
)	
Appellant.)	FILED: October 22, 2013

La Trece Thompson (“Thompson”) appeals from the judgment of the trial court modifying child custody and child support of her minor son Glenn Stepan, Jr. (“Child”). Thompson argues the trial court erred in modifying child custody of Child because (1) there was insufficient evidence of substantial changed circumstances warranting modification and (2) there was insufficient evidence that modification was in the best interests of Child.

AFFIRMED.

Division Three holds: The record contains sufficient evidence to support the trial court’s finding of both substantial changed circumstances and that modification of child custody and support is in the best interest of the child. The trial court appropriately based its decision on factors (2) and (4) of Section 452.375.2 because the evidence presented at trial focused on these two factors. Therefore, we affirm the judgment of the trial court.

Opinion by: Kurt S. Odenwald, J., Mary K. Hoff, P.J., and Angela T. Quigless, J., Concur.

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