# SUPREME COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA (FAMILY DIVISION)

Citation: Nova Scotia (Community Services) v. P.J., 2014 NSSC 87

**Date:** 2014-03-05

**Docket:** Halifax No. SFHCFSA-081443

**Registry:** Halifax

**Between:** 

Minister of Community Services

**Applicant** 

v.

P.J. and T.M.

Respondents

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Judge: The Honourable Justice Douglas C. Campbell

**Heard:** February 3, 4, 24, 25, 26, 2014 in Halifax, Nova Scotia

**Subject:** Permanent Care and Custody Hearing

**Summary:** The Agency sought permanent care and custody of children against the

wishes of the parents who argued that they had complied with all Agency services. Notwithstanding that compliance, the Court held that the children continued to be in need of protection and that permanent

care was appropriate. The case is somewhat fact specific.

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