1 2 3 4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 5 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 6 7 8 RICHARD CLYMORE; AND, DEBRA Case No. 1:14-CV-0101-AWI-SMS 9 HARBIN-CLYMORE, 10 Plaintiffs, ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO STRIKE PLAINTIFFS' 11 REQUEST FOR A JURY TRIAL. v. 12 FEDERAL RAILROAD ADMINISTRATION; CHARLES MARK 13 HAGOOD; AND, THE UNITED STATES (Doc. No. 8) OF AMERICA, 14 Defendants. 15 16 Before the Court in the above-styled and numbered cause of action is Defendants' "Notice 17 of Motion and United States' Motion to Strike Jury Demand," filed April 4, 2014 (Doc. 8). 18 Plaintiffs' complaint seeks damages for negligence under the Federal Tort Claims Act (Doc. 1). 19 Defendant argues, and the Court agrees, that there is no federal right to a jury trial in a case brought 20 under the FTCA. 28 U.S.C. § 2402. Because Plaintiff does not oppose the motion, (see Doc. 11), 21 22 and there is no federal right to a jury trial, the Court will strike Plaintiff's demand pursuant to Rule 23 39(a)(2). Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Defendants' Motion to Strike (Doc. 8) is 24 GRANTED. 25 IT IS SO ORDERED. 26 Dated: **December 3, 2014** /s/ Sandra M. Snyder 27 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE 28