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Plaintiff, ORDER DISMISSING ACTION FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

Before the Court is the complaint filed September 19, 2005 by plaintiff Teresa B. Su ("Su"). Su seeks a declaratory judgment against the United States of America with respect to "whether or not the plaintiff is a taxpayer pursuant to, and/or under 26 U.S.C.

§ 7701(a)(14)." (<u>See</u> Compl. at 2.)

This Court lacks jurisdiction to issue a declaratory judgment "with respect to Federal taxes other than actions brought under section 7428 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986," a code section that is not at issue in the instant action. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 2201; <u>see also Hughes v. United States</u>, 953 F.2d 531, 536-537 (9th Cir. 1991) (affirming dismissal of claim for declaratory relief under § 2201 where claim concerned question of tax liability).

Accordingly, the instant action is hereby DISMISSED, with prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: September 26, 2005

MAXINE M. CHESNEY
United States District Judge