IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

KIM LEE MILLBROOK, : CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:12-CV-421

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Plaintiff : (Chief Judge Conner)

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v.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al.,:

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Defendants

ORDER

AND NOW, this 15th day of June, 2016, upon consideration of the United States' motion (Doc. 122) requesting that the court redesignate the above-captioned matter as a non-jury case, and it appearing that the *pro se* plaintiff's only remaining claim against the United States arises under the Federal Tort Claims Act ("FTCA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2671 *et seq.*, and FTCA complainants are not entitled to a jury trial, <u>see</u> 28 U.S.C. § 2402, it is hereby ORDERED that:

- 1. The United States' motion (Doc. 122) to redesignate the above-captioned matter as a non-jury case is GRANTED.
- 2. Trial in the above-captioned matter shall proceed as a bench trial on Monday, August 22, 2016 at 9:30 a.m., in Courtroom #2, Ninth Floor, 228 Walnut Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.
- 3. The requirement set forth in the court's pretrial order (Doc. 114) that the parties submit proposed *voir dire* and proposed jury instructions in advance of the pretrial conference is stricken.
- 4. Unless otherwise modified herein, all other deadlines set forth in the court's pretrial order (Doc. 114) shall remain in full force and effect.

/S/ CHRISTOPHER C. CONNER
Christopher C. Conner, Chief Judge
United States District Court
Middle District of Pennsylvania