

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows.

[0045] While putting many filter medias in an electrostatic field can increase their efficiency, this is not universally the case. In fact, many passive electrostatic media show no improvement or actually perform worse. However, it has been found that putting triboelectric type electret media in a polarizing field does improve its effectiveness and eliminate the efficiency dip that is seen. ~~(cite reasons for the mixed triboelectric filter layer here)~~ The triboelectric layer tends to be relatively thin, it may therefore be used in one or more layers, ~~[[***]]~~ together or separate, at various positions within the air cleaner media, i.e. with other media materials positioned on either or both sides of it.