

**Table 3: Overall Performance of Anna DMK Party candidates in the June 1977 and May 1980 Legislative Assembly Elections**

Category	total number	Names
Winning in 1977 and 1980 in the same constituency	41	S. Munirathinam, Abdul Razack, Anoor Jagadeesan, S. Pattabiraman, R. Shanmugham, T. Anbazhagan, T. Swamikannu, M. Kannan, S. Ramachandran, K. Samarasam, K.R. Chinarassu, K.P. Nachimuthu, M. Sivaperumal, R. Arunachalam, C. Ponniyan, P. Dhanapal, T. Ganesan, S. Palanisamy, C. Aranganayagam, K.V. Kandasamy, P. Kolandaivelu, R. Manimaran, S. Muthusamy, P. Guruswamy, V.R. Jayaraman, R. Muthiah, K. Kalimuthu, S. Vellaisamy, N. Perumal, R. Soundararajan, K. Soundararajan, M.R. Govindan, S. Thirunavukkarasu, T. Ramaswamy, K.K.S.S.R. Ramachandran, M. Sundararajan, R. Tamaraikani, R.K. Perumal, P.H. Pandian, M. Vincent
Winning in 1977 And 1980 in a different Constituency	3	M.G. Ramachandran (MGR), Musiri Putthan, K.A. Sengottaiyan
Losing in 1977 and 1980 in the same constituency	6	G. Krishnaswamy, M. Deivigam, C. Periasamy, Asokan alias Karuppiah, Bala Velayutham, P. Ponnambalam.
Winning in 1977 and losing in 1980 in the same constituency	9	Isari Velan, Munu Adhi, A.K. Ranganathan, G. Rangothaman, C. Ramanathan, B. Gopalan, Durai Govindarajan, S.R. Eradha, P. Kaliuappan
Losing in 1977 and winning in 1980 in the same constituency	8	K. Kuppuswamy, M. A. Rajkumar, K. Balasubramaniam, A. Kalaiyaran, M.S. Manickam, T. Marimuthu, P. Thirumaran, S. Anguchamy