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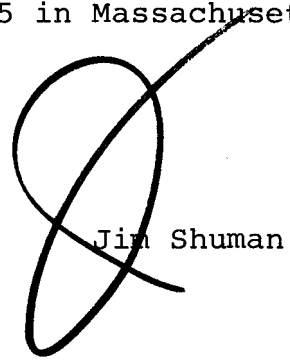
Ron:

The PFC estimates that the President has 240 delegates either pledged or ready to support him at the convention.

There are 54 votes as a result of primaries or selection (New Hampshire 18; Massachusetts 27; Puerto Rico 8)

The rest are assumed delegates. Needed to win: 1,129.

The PFC has no idea of how many votes Reagan has beyond the 3 in New Hampshire and 15 in Massachusetts won in primary voting.

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Jim Shuman