Basic Detail Report



White House Introduction: President
Eisenhower reaches across George M.
Johnson, new member of the Civil Rights
Commission, to shake hands with
Johnson's wife at the end of a ceremony
swearing him into the post. Johnson,
who holds his commission, is the former

dean of the Howard University School of Law, Washington D.C., June 9, 1959

Date

1959

Medium

Vintage Associated Press wirephoto

Dimensions

Overall: 6 3/4 x 8 in. (17.1 x 20.3 cm)

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