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5. MULTICS ring mechanism
   a. MULTICS rings: used for both data and procedures; rights are REWA
   b. \((b_1, b_2)\) access bracket - can access freely; \((b_3, b_4)\) call bracket - can call segment through gate; so if \(a\)'s access bracket is \((32,35)\) and its call bracket is \((36,39)\), then assuming permission mode (REWA) allows access, a procedure in:
      - rings 0-31: can access \(a\), but ring-crossing fault occurs
      - rings 32-35: can access \(a\), no ring-crossing fault
      - rings 36-39: can access \(a\), provided a valid gate is used as an entry point
      - rings 40-63: cannot access \(a\)
   c. If the procedure is accessing a data segment \(d\), no call bracket allowed; given the above, assuming permission mode (REWA) allows access, a procedure in:
      - rings 0-32: can access \(d\)
      - rings 33-35: can access \(d\), but cannot write to it (W or A)
      - rings 36-63: cannot access \(d\)

6. Propagated access control lists