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process ::= decl^+
          decl ::= event\_decl \mid protocol\_decl \mid variable\_decl \mid property\_decl \mid rule\_decl
   event\_decl := event event\_name (, event\_name)^*;
protocol\_decl ::= \mathbf{protocol} \ (protocol;;)^+
     protocol ::= any \mid event\_name \mid protocol ; protocol
                   protocol + protocol | protocol * | protocol ? | ( protocol )
variable\_decl ::= \mathbf{variable} \left( var\_name (, var\_name)^* ( : type )^? ; \right)^+
          type ::= \mathbf{prop} \mid \mathbf{nat} \ (max)
property\_decl ::= \mathbf{property} \ (ldl\_formula :)^+
    rule\ decl ::= \mathbf{rule}\ rule^+
          rule ::= \mathbf{except}^? on event\_name (, event\_name)* ({ code })?
                     (when condition (\{ code \})?)
                    action^+
    condition ::= proposition \mid < ldl_path > condition
       action ::= ensure proposition (\{ code \})^?
                    raise event\_name \ (+ \ event\_name \ )^* \ (\{ \ code \ \})^?
                    do { code }
                    preserve var\_name (, var\_name)*
```