Ruby - Bug #3116

block call with 'do' keyword in 'until' condition causes parse error

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Assignee:

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Description

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(derived from #1240)

I noticed that block call with do' keyword does not work in until' condition:

until begin 1.times {} end do end # ok

until begin 1.times do end end do end # parse error

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until if true then 1.times { } end do end # ok

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until class Foo; 1.times $\{\ \}$; end do end # ok

until class Foo; 1.times do end; end do end # parse error

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until case; when true; 1.times { } ; end do end # ok

until case; when true; 1.times do end; end do end # parse error

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This is because the underlined do's are not considered as block call but beginning of until' body.

Although this is confusing a little and can be actually fixed, the fix needs many COND_PUSH(0)/COND_POP(), which may decrease performance and code maintenability. In addition, writing such a long and complex condition directly is absolutely bad (even insane) style.

So, I think there is no need to fix.

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