

Manchester United striker Wayne Rooney has marked the retirement of Sir Alex Ferguson by publishing 500 questions for his successor.

It is widely believed Everton boss David Moyes will take over at Old Trafford at the end of the season.

Rooney asked to be placed on the transfer list two weeks ago but Ferguson insisted the forward would not be sold. Ferguson's departure could spark a U-turn if Rooney receives certain assurances.

The England international claims the next manager must answer legitimate questions about United's future with "detail and debate, rather than bluster and assertion".

The questions cover topics such as Europe, defence, the weather and women.

Some of the questions asked are:

What is the positive case for me remaining at Manchester United?

When we will no longer be protected by Ferdinand and Vidic, would new defensive units be created for Manchester United?

What progress has been made in determining the "affordability" of holding midfielders outlined by our Finance Secretary at Manchester United?

Will you make me play in the rain at Manchester United?

What will be the cost of a first class “escort” at Manchester United?

Will I still be substituted for Ryan Giggs at Manchester United?